



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Examiner: Thao X. LE

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the remarks below in response to the Office Action mailed July 21, 2005.

Claims 1 and 3-37 are all the claims pending in the application.

I. Response to Rejection Under 35 U.S.C. § 112

Referring to Section No. 3 at pages 2 and 3 of the Office Action, Claims 1 and 3-19 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the written description requirement.

According to the Examiner, the "hydrogen" limitation in Claim 1 does not have support in the specification. The Examiner states that "[t]he specification consistently discloses the compound consisting of carbon, nitrogen, and fluorine in pages 9-13." The Examiner asserts that the addition of the "hydrogen" limitation has changed the scope of the invention or created a different compound.

Applicant respectfully traverses.